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STEEL INGOTSFEBRUARY - 1952

Production of steel ingots in Canada during February amounted to 294,346 net tons, an average of 10,150 tons a day compared with a daily average of 9,687 tons in February of a year ago.

Table 1 - Production of Steel Ingots, 1943-1950

Year	Net tons of 2,000 pounds
1943	2,846,736
1944	2,873,868
1945	2,575,149
1946	2,251,741
1947	2,854,779
1948	3,087,063
1949	3,095,626
1950	3,298,071
1951	3,446,125

Table 2 - Production of Steel Ingots, by Months, 1951 and 1952

Month	1951		1952	
	Monthly total	Daily average	Monthly total	Daily average
(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)				
January	299,410	9,658	305,721	9,862
February	271,222	9,687	→ 294,346	10,150
March	304,281	9,816		
April	301,764	10,059		
May	302,928	9,772		
June	283,664	9,455		
July	266,646	8,601		
August	277,931	8,966		
September	257,880	8,596		
October	298,159	9,618		
November	295,485	9,850		
December	286,755	9,250		
Total	3,446,125	9,441		

Note: The present rated ingot capacity of Canada's steel furnaces is 3,630,900 net tons per annum.

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